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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)				9010-005009 (56446-20004.20)	
In re Application of Jay SHORT et al					
	Application Number 09/966,803			Filed September 27, 2001	
	For: ENZYMES HAVING AMIDASE ACTIVITY AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF				
	Art Unit	1652	Examir	ner Delia M. Ramirez, Ph.D.	
This is a request under the provisions identified application.				-	
The requested extension and appropr	iate non-small-entit	y fee are as follow	vs (che	ck time period desired):	
One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))				\$	
Two months (37 CFR 1.1	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))			\$	
x Three months (37 CFR 1	FEB 2 4 7004			\$ 950.00	
Four months (37 CFR 1.1				\$	
Five months (37 CFR 1.1	7(a)(5))			\$	
x Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is					
reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 475.00 .					
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I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.					
I am the applicant/inventor					
applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.					
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).					
attorney or agent of record. Registration Number38,440					
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